GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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DELINATION OF PROTECTED AREAS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether an exercise is under process to delineate areas in the seas/oceans which are to be barred to vessels engaged in purse seining fortune, squid jigging and pelagic trawling and tapping of fish;

(b) if so, whether the proposed regulations will cover the Exclusive Economic Zones; and

(c) the objectives of the proposed revised norms?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (c): Information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.